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SUBJ: SAHEL CEREALS SUPPLY - NIGER

1. FOLLOWING FROM DABELL, OSRO:

A. WE NOW HAVE FULL REPORT ON RECENT MEETING OF DONOR REPS WITH UNDP AND HAVE HAD BENEFIT OF FIRST HAND ACCOUNT OF SITUATION IN NIGER FROM GOLDING AND MUELLER JUST RETURNED FROM NIAMEY.

B. ALL INFORMATION CONFIRMS OUR BELIEF THAT GOVERNMENT'S URGENT REQUEST FOR FOOD AID IS JUSTIFIED AND WE HOPE USAID CAN PROVIDE TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED TONS FROM ABIDJAN IN ADDITION TO ONE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED FROM COTONOU. WE UNDERSTAND FAC AND FED WILL PROVIDE TWELVE THOUSAND TONS TO MEET TOTAL OF SIXTEEN THOUSAND TONS ORIGINALLY RECOMMENDED BY MDM AND CONFIRMED BY RECENT MEETING.

C. SORO VIEWS ON FURTHER SUPPLIES REQUESTED BY GOVERNMENT WILL DEPEND ON APPRAISAL OF HARVEST POTENTIAL. VOLPE

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